



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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RE: MUR 6382  
Len Britton for Vermont  
Charles Taylor, Treasurer

Dear Mr. Welch:

On September 23, 2010, the Federal Election Commission notified your clients of a complaint filed against Len Britton for Vermont and Charles Taylor, as treasurer ("the Committee"), alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act") and underlying regulations. On May 12, 2011, based upon the information contained in the complaint, and information provided by you, the Commission decided to dismiss the complaint and closed its file in this matter.

The Commission encourages your clients to review the General Counsel's Report, which sets forth the statutory and regulatory provisions considered by the Commission in this matter. A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for their information and future reference. The Commission reminds your clients to take steps to ensure that their conduct is in compliance with the Commission's requirements pertaining to the reporting of disputed debts under 2 U.S.C. § 434(b)(8) and 11 C.F.R. §§ 104.3(d), 164.11, and 116.10. For further information on the Act, please refer to the Commission's website at [www.fec.gov](http://www.fec.gov) or contact the Commission's Public Information Division at (202) 694-1100.

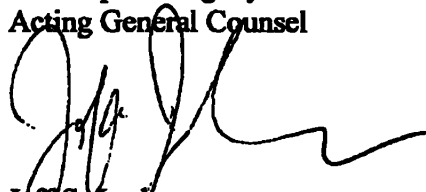
Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003).

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If you have any questions, please contact Frankie D. Hampton, the paralegal assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Christopher Hughey  
Acting General Counsel

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeff S. Jordan", is written over the typed name and title.

BY: Jeff S. Jordan  
Supervisory Attorney  
Complaints Examination and  
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Enclosure  
General Counsel's Report

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